

Mansfield District Council

BUSINESS RATES RETAIL DISCOUNT APPLICATION FORM 2019/20 AND 2020/21

From 1 April 2019, the Government has introduced a new rate relief discount to provide support to retailers for the financial years 2019/20 and 2020/21. Retail Discount is awarded as a reduction in your business rate liability and will equate to one-third of the bill.

Please check your eligibility at www.mansfield.gov.uk before you complete and return the application form for your business rates premises.

Qualifying conditions

- The rateable value of the property is less than £51,000
- The property is occupied, and
- The property is wholly or mainly being used for a qualifying retail purpose (please refer to the enclosed guidance)

State Aid

Retail discount awards are required to comply with the European Union Regulations concerning State Aid. If you have received any other 'de minimis' State Aid (a brief explanation is overleaf) including any other retail discount for any other premises other than the one to which this form relates, you need to declare this on the form overleaf.

Account Number

Is your property occupied?

Yes No

Is your property wholly or mainly used for retail purposes?

Yes No

Please give details of how your property is used/the nature of your business for which the property is used

Declaration

The ratepayer, or a person authorised to sign on behalf of the ratepayer, must sign this application.

- I confirm that the de minimus threshold will not be exceeded by accepting this Retail Discount.
- I will inform Mansfield District Council of any change within 14 days of the change occurring.
- I understand it is a criminal offence for a ratepayer to give false information when making an application for Retail Discount.

Full name

Signed

Position

Date

Daytime

Telephone

Email

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State Aid Declaration

The following declaration must be completed if you are receiving any other de minimus State Aid or Retail Discount for any other properties.

This award shall comply with the EU law on State Aid on the basis that, including this award, the total de minimus award shall not exceed more than €200,000 in total within the current financial year or the previous two financial years.

The *de minimis* Regulations 1407/2013 (as published in the Official Journal of the European Union L352 24.12.2013) can be found at:

<http://eur-lex.europa.eu/LexUriServ/LexUriServ.do?uri=OJ:L:2013:352:0001:0008:EN:PDF>

Amount of <i>de minimis</i> aid	Date of aid	Organisation providing aid	Nature of aid

To apply for retail discount, please complete the application form and return by e-mail to businessrates@mansfield.gov.uk or by post to-

Business Rate Team, Mansfield District Council,

Civic Centre, Chesterfield Road South, Mansfield, Notts. NG19 7BH

If you have any questions about the retail discount scheme, please contact the Business Rates Team on 01623 463161.